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Order Also

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

ROLAND C. ANDERSON,

Plaintiff,

v. : Civil Action No. 05-877-JJF

GENERAL MOTORS,

Defendant.

ROLAND C. ANDERSON, :

Plaintiff,

v. : Civil Action No. 06-669-JJF

GENERAL MOTORS,

Defendant. :

ORDER

Plaintiff Roland C. Anderson filed two lawsuits pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq. as captioned above. In both cases

Plaintiff proceeds <u>pro se</u> and was granted permission to proceed

<u>in forma pauperis</u> pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

The Complaints in Civil Action Nos. 05-877-JJF and 06-669JJF, involve similar allegations of employment discrimination and retaliation against the same Defendant, General Motors. Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 42 provides for consolidation "[w]hen actions involv[e] a common question of law or fact. . . to avoid

unnecessary costs or delay." Fed. R. Civ. P. 42(a). "District courts have the inherent authority to order consolidation <u>sua</u> <u>sponte." Plimpton v. Cooper</u>, 141 F. Supp. 2d 573, 575 (W.D. N.C. 2001) (citing <u>Pickle v. Char Lee Seafood, Inc.</u>, 174 F.3d 444 (4th Cir. 1999)). Both Complaints concern common questions of law and fact and are brought against the same Defendant.

At Wilmington this 22 day of February, 2007, IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Civil Action Nos. 05-877-JJF and 06-669-JJF are CONSOLIDATED for all purposes.
 - 2. The caption of the Consolidated Action is as follows:

ROLAND C. ANDERSON,

Plaintiff,

: CONSOLIDATED

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: Civil Action No. 05-877-JJF

GENERAL MOTORS,

:

Defendant.

^{3.} The Complaint (D.I. 2) filed in Civil Action No. 05-877-JJF, and the Complaint (D.I. 2) filed in Civil Action No. 06-669-JJF, together will stand as the Complaint in this Consolidated Action.

^{4.} All documents previously filed to date in the cases consolidated herein are deemed filed and are part of the record

in the Consolidated Action.

5. Hereafter, Court pleadings and documents shall be filed only in Civil Action No. 05-877-JJF. The Court will not accept pleadings filed in Civil Action No. 06-669-JJF.

JOSEPH TAMES DISTRICT JUDGE

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ORDER that CA 06-669 is CONSOLIDATED into CA 05-877. All pleadings and documents shall be filed ONLY in CA 05-877 (See Order for Details).. Signed by Judge Joseph J. Farnan, Jr. on 2/22/2007. (lec)

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

ROLAND C. ANDERSON,)
Plaintiff))
v.	Civil Action No. 06-669 JJF
GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION,)
Defendant.)

RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO STAY AND FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE ORDER DENYING ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT

Before this Court is plaintiff's Motion to Stay the proceeding while his appeal is pending before the Third Circuit Court of Appeals. Specifically, plaintiff is appealing the Court's Order Denying the Motion for Default Judgment. Plaintiff is apparently also seeking the Court reconsider its Order Denying the Motion for Default Judgment. While GM does not object to the requested stay, GM strongly objects to any vague request that the Court reconsider it prior Order regarding the Motion for Default Judgment.

As this Court is aware, the Third Circuit does not favor the entry of defaults or default judgments, preferring instead that cases be decided on their merits. Therefore, "doubtful cases [are] to be resolved in favor of the party moving to set aside the default judgment." United States v. \$55,518.05, 728 F.2d at 195. See also Gross v. Stereo Component Systems, Inc., 700 F.2d 120, 122 (3rd Cir.1983). As such, this Court ruled that default was not warranted because plaintiff was not prejudiced by defendant GM's actions. GM had meritorious defenses to plaintiff's claims and there was insufficient evidence of culpability on the part of GM. Nothing in plaintiff's Motion contradicts any



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